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August 3, 1900

Orleans. During the week 9 pieces of baggage were disinfected. The general health continues good. No deaths occurred during the week.

Respectfully,

SPENCER FRANKLIN,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Report from Puerto Cortez—Fruit port.

PUERTO CORTEZ, HONDURAS, *July 20, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to make my report for week ended July 19, 1900, and inclose list of vessels inspected and cleared during the week.

The 2 copies of PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS, No. 13, were received and placed in the hands of the agents of the fruit companies on the 19th instant.

The health and sanitary conditions of the port and adjacent country continue very satisfactory. No death reported for the week.

Respectfully,

R. H. PETERS,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

[Inclosure.]

List of vessels inspected and cleared during week ended Thursday, July 19, 1900.

Date.	Vessel.	Master.	Number of crew.	Destination.	Number of passengers.	Number of pieces baggage disinfected.
July 14	Nor. ss. Espana	Danulsen....	14	Mobile, Ala.....	4	6
July 16	Br. ss. Usk	A. Hurny....	18	.....do .....	.....	.....
July 17	Nor. ss. Origen	Hegge.....	22	New York.....	3	.....
July 18	Am. bg. Carib.....	Montgom'ry	7	.....do .....	.....	.....
Do.....	Am. ss. S. Oteri.....	De Luca.....	33	New Orleans.....	1	5
July 19	Am. ss. Jos. Oteri, Jr.....	Marullo	20	.....do .....	.....	.....

ITALY.

Quarantine against Beirut on account of plague.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *July 23, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to inform you that this Department is advised by the Italian ambassador at this capital that he is in receipt of a telegram from the Italian minister of the interior announcing that the plague quarantine applicable to Egyptian ports has been extended to the port of Beirut.

Respectfully,

JOHN HAY,

Secretary of State.

Hon. SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

Plague quarantine against Aden revoked.

WASHINGTON, D. C., *July 28, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to inform you that I am advised by the Italian ambassador at this capital, in a note dated the 22d instant, that the plague quarantine against Aden has been revoked.

Respectfully,

JOHN HAY,

Secretary of State.

Hon. SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.